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METHOD, COMPUTER DATA )  
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**Customer Window, Mail Stop Amendment**  
Alexandria, VA 22314

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**AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated October 6, 2005, the period for response to which extends through March 6, 2006, by the concurrently filed request for a two-month extension of time and corresponding fee payment, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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